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Honorable Thomas N. Downing
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Congressman:

The Chief Justice of the United States has asked me to write you concerning your inquiry of June 23 about Mr. Redlich. The fact is that Mr. Redlich is a member of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee, which organization denies that it is, or has been, a Communist Front. This organization has never been on any subversive list issued by the Department of Justice according to the information of the Commission. It has been listed by the House Un-American Activities Committee and the Senate Subversive Activities Committee.

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Sincerely,

SIGNED

J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel